



## Prairie Rose School Division

January 21, 2019, Board of Trustees Meeting Highlights

Mission: Prairie Rose is dedicated to developing lifelong learners for global citizenship

Board received the Personnel/Staffing Report. Board welcomes the following staff to PRSD:

- Nicole Barton, Classroom Teacher, Miami School
- Ted Reimer, Classroom Teacher, Hutterian Colony School – Maple Creek (Miami Colony)

### Presentations

#### **English as an Additional Language (EAL) Update**

EAL Leader, Mandy Nykolaishen, presented an update on English as an additional language (EAL) within PRSD. There are 244 EAL students within PRSD representing 10% of total student enrolment, of those, 75% are from the Hutterian Colony School sites. The EAL Leader presented that there are 13 languages spoken within PRSD. The EAL curriculum includes linguistic competency, intercultural communication and global citizenship, contextual applications, and strategic competency. PRSD's EAL goals, strategies, progress, and next steps were presented.

### Reports of Committees:

#### **Policy and Development Committee**

Trustee North provided highlights of the January 14, 2019, Policy and Development Committee meeting. Agenda items including committee structure, policy review procedure, and Board development.

Senior Administration reported to the Board of Trustees on the following items:

#### **Administrative Council Meeting Minutes**

The Board was provided with the January 8, 2019, Administrative Council Meeting minutes. Agenda items included a wellness programming presentation as well as various provincial and divisional deadlines, updates, and reminders.

#### **Board Planning Workshop – Summary Report**

The Board Planning Workshop agenda for the January 10 and January 11, 2019, was attached. The Superintendent/CEO identified next steps for formalizing the Board's divisional priorities for school leadership, positive school cultures, literacy and numeracy, and integration of technology. The summary was provided under the theme – "Stronger Schools, Stronger Students; Shared Leadership".

Next Board Meeting

Date: Monday, February 4, 2019

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Location: PRSD Administration Office, Carman, Manitoba